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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**In re: Application of  
Lange, et al.

Serial No. 09/857,635

Examiner: Phillip C. Tucker

Filed: 11/09/01

Art Unit: 1712

TITLE: ROCK AND SOIL SEALING COMPOSITIONS  
CONTAINING SILICA SOLS AND HARDNESS STABILIZERS,  
AND METHODS OF USING THE SAME**CERTIFICATE OF FACSIMILE TRANSMISSION**

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**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**  
**UNDER 37 CFR § 1.136**Commissioner for Patents  
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It is hereby requested that the shortened statutory period for responding to the Examiner's Action dated July 3, 2003 be extended two-months from October 3, 2003 to December 3, 2003.

Please charge our Deposit Account No. 50-1177 in the amount of \$420.00 for the two-month extension fee. Order No. 03-0613.


The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any deficiency in the required fee or to credit any overpayment to Deposit Account 50-1177.

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Responsive Action has been taken by filing a REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION simultaneously herewith.

Respectfully submitted,

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